

Snapshot of Children in Foster Care in Virginia		
Data As Of:	4/1/2022	
	Number Children	Percent Children
Sex		
Male	2554	51.62%
Female	2394	48.38%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Total	4948	
Age As Of 4/1/2022		
Less than 1	246	4.97%
1 thru 3	770	15.56%
4 thru 6	551	11.14%
7 thru 9	520	10.51%
10 thru 12	512	10.35%
13 thru 15	790	15.97%
16 thru 17	742	15.00%
18	282	5.70%
19 and up	535	10.81%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Episodes of Removal From Own Home		
1 Removal	4214	85.17%
2 Removals	609	12.31%
3 Removals	106	2.14%
4 Removals	17	0.34%
5 Removals	2	0.04%
6 or More Removals	0	0.00%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Age at Last Removal from Own Home		
Less than 1	649	13.12%
1 thru 3	670	13.54%
4 thru 6	603	12.19%
7 thru 9	562	11.36%
10 thru 12	661	13.36%
13 thru 15	1043	21.08%
16 thru 18	706	14.27%
19 and up	44	0.89%
Unknown	10	0.20%
Type of Most Recent Placement		
Non-relative Foster Home	2586	52.26%
Institution	261	5.27%
Group Home	189	3.82%
Pre-adoptive Home	396	8.00%
Trial Home Visit	134	2.71%
Independent Living	725	14.65%
Relative Foster Home	541	10.93%
Runaway	2	0.04%
Unknown	114	2.30%

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Conditions of Last Removal		
Child's Behavior Problem	932	18.84%
Neglect	2523	50.99%
Caretaker's Inability to Cope	385	7.78%
Relinquishment	387	7.82%
Physical Abuse	729	14.73%
Parent's Drug Abuse	1544	31.20%
Inadequate Housing	673	13.60%
Parent's Alcohol Abuse	276	5.58%
Sexual Abuse	256	5.17%
Abandonment	262	5.30%
Child's Disability	75	1.52%
Incarceration of Parent	272	5.50%
Child's Drug Abuse	101	2.04%
Death of Parent	54	1.09%
Child's Alcohol Abuse	24	0.49%
Number of Placements in Current Removal Episode		
1 Placement	1532	30.96%
2 Placements	1240	25.06%
3 Placements	671	13.56%
4 Placements	401	8.10%
5 Placements	282	5.70%
6 or More Placements	803	16.23%
Unknown	19	0.38%
Most Recent Placement Out of State?		
No	4755	96.10%
Yes	127	2.57%
Most Recent Case Plan Goal		
Long Term Foster Care	182	3.68%
Emancipation	711	14.37%
Reunification	1642	33.19%
Adoption	1693	34.22%
Live With Other Relatives	347	7.01%
Not Yet Established	373	7.54%
Unknown	0	0.00%
Disabilities		
Child Diagnosed With Disability	23	0.46%
Mental Retardation	5	0.10%
Visual / Hearing Impaired	0	0.00%
Physically Disabled	19	0.38%
Emotionally Disturbed	13	0.26%
Other Medical Condition	1	0.02%